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IN RE APPLICATION OF :
SHIGEO IMANISHI, ET AL. : EXAMINER: LANKFORD JR., L.
SERIAL NO: 10/091,318 :
FILED: MARCH 6, 2002 : GROUP ART UNIT: 1651
FOR: INSECT CELL PRIMARY :
CULTURE MEDIUM, EXTRACELLULAR
MATRIX, AND PROCESS OF
PREPARING AN INSECT CULTURE
CELL LINE IN A SHORT PERIOD OF
TIME USING THE MEDIUM AND
MATRIX

RESTRICTION RESPONSE AND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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SIR:

Responsive to the requirement for restriction of October 22, 2003, Applicants elect,
Group I, Claims 1-3 with traverse.

Amendment to the claims begins on page 3.

REMARKS

The Examiner is requiring restriction as follows:

Group I, Claims 1-3, directed to a culture medium; and

Group II, Claims 4-10 directed to chitin, an extracellular matrix comprising chitin, an
insect's cell culture vesicle; and a process for preparing an insect-derived chitin.

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Transmitted herewith is an RESTRICTION RESPONSE and PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT (one document) in the above-identified application.

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☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.

☐ Additional documents filed herewith: - none -

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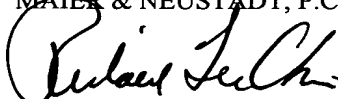
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